

MAD DOG IN A CONCERT HALL.

Inmates of Stager's Bowery Dive Get a Great Scare.

Men and Women Jumped on Tables or Ran for the Street.

A big yellow dog, frothing at the mouth, raised a commotion shortly after midnight this morning in Louis Stager's concert hall, 211 Bowery. The cur came yelping up the Bowery, and finding the concert hall door open ran inside.

The cry "mad dog" was raised, and the men and women with whom the place was packed jumped on the tables and chairs.

Two women in short skirts who had been singing songs on the stage, gave a wild yell and dashed into the dressing room. For a while the hall was wrapped in terror.

The dog ran around the tables, while the women shrieked and the men kicked and cursed. Glasses, bung-stoppers and other things were thrown at the animal until it grew madder than ever.

The man who stands at the door and decides about the free show going on inside, ran down the Bowery in search of a policeman. On the next corner he found a policeman, Louis Harris, who advanced on the concert hall with drawn revolver.

In the mean time the excitement in the hall had drawn a dense mob from the Bowery and side streets. The sidewalk around the entrance was packed, and people came running from all directions. Inside the dog still held the fort.

When the dog ran to the foot of the hall some of the men near the door made a stampede for the street. The majority of them, however, were held at bay. Then a big bouncer seized a chair and strutted out to meet the dog.

The cur was now more frightened than mad. He retreated from the bouncer and made tracks for the door.

Just as he was met by Policeman Harris, the dog reached the street. The policeman barked the shot took effect and the dog fell. The policeman fired two more shots into him to make sure of his work.

Then the carcass was thrown into the gutter, and the gay times in the concert hall went on. Many said the dog was not mad, but only wanted something to eat.

THIRTY YEARS ON THE FORCE.

Supt. Byrnes Will Wear His Sixth Gold Stripe Sunday.

If Thomas Byrnes, Superintendent of Police, lives until next Sunday, and remains in the Police Department, he will be entitled to add the sixth gold band to his coat sleeve, which will indicate thirty years of continual, aggressive and praiseworthy service for the people of the greatest city on the American continent.

Supt. Byrnes was appointed an ordinary patrolman Dec. 10, 1903, soon after which he was promoted to sergeant, and then to the position of chief of police in 1910. He was promoted to the position of chief of police in 1910. He was promoted to the position of chief of police in 1910.

He applied for a position on the police force, at that time a crude and most unsatisfactory organization. He was then a trifle more than twenty years of age, his birth having occurred in Ireland July 15, 1862.

On Oct. 22, 1908, Byrnes was promoted to the post of roundsman. Two months later he received his first blue stripe, indicative of five years on the force.

In November of the following year he was made sergeant and six months later he donned a captain's hat and shield.

He was made inspector in April, 1920, and eight years later, almost to a day, he was appointed Chief Inspector, the office having been created for him.

Four years later, and again in the month of April, Supt. Murray resigned, and Byrnes was appointed in his stead.

INDIAN HONESTY IMPUGNED.

Cherokee Chief's Veto Is Concluded in Discourteous Language.

TAHLEQUAH, La. (T. Dec. 8.)—There is a serious clash between the Cherokee Council and the Chief, who has been vetoing almost all measures sent to him for approval. The Chief has sent back to the Senate the bill providing for three financial agents to sell the Cherokee bonds. He favors appointing a delegation to Congress to negotiate the sale of the land to pass an appropriation to pay the bonds in cash with accrued interest. In the event of this plan failing, he prefers to wait until the bonds mature and have them paid in four installments, as provided for by Congress.

The Chief's message vetoing the measure was couched in very discourteous language, intimating that four out of the eighteen Senators had favored the bill because they were in a ring to make a steal. The veto was not sustained by the Senate, and the people are anxiously awaiting the action of the Lower House.

John Mahoney Honorably Discharged.

John Mahoney, aged twenty-five years, of 747 Washington street, who was arrested on 7th place last Thursday, charged with assaulting two detectives and being an associate of "Red" McNeil, whom the detectives were trying to arrest, was tried before Judge Mead in the Tenth Police Court, and was honorably discharged. Mahoney had a number of police officers and other witnesses to prove he was not concerned in the assault.

Brooklyn Brevities.

During the night three persons entered the residence of Charles G. Wyman, 135 Putnam avenue, and stole \$10.00 in money and a quantity of silverware.

Mrs. G. E. Blumenthal, of 122 Columbia Heights, notified the police of a burglar who had broken in through the back door and stolen two coats, a hat, a pair of shoes and other articles, valued at \$10.00.

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FIFTY DAYS WITHOUT FOOD.

But Mrs. Henry Cook's Abstinence Is Enforced, Not Voluntary.

BURLINGTON, N. J., Dec. 8.—Mrs. Henry Cook lies in bed at her home in York street, suffering with a singular trouble which has forced her to abstain from food or nourishment of any kind for seven weeks and a day.

All efforts to provide some sort of nourishment that the stomach will retain have met with failure. The simplest food, refined sugar, has been rejected. Her digestive organs, and she has literally starved for fifty days.

She was a large, robust woman when she took to her bed after a collapse seven weeks ago. She weighed more than 200 pounds. She has been reduced to a skeleton of her former self. Her hands are thin and almost transparent. Dr. E. F. Hink, who is attending her, says that she is suffering from excessive action of the liver, causing rejection of food in the stomach, and the outcome is fatal.

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MR. BISSELL'S PLAN INDORSED HERE.

Postmaster-General Biswell's report, in which he calls attention to the hitherto inadequately supplied needs of the big post-offices, has pleased the officials in the New York Post-Office very much. In his report, the Postmaster-General says that he thinks that the ten larger post-offices of the country, New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Baltimore, San Francisco, Portland, Ore., and Pittsburgh—should be put in a class by themselves, and Congress should make appropriations for them direct.

"If this recommendation is not accepted," he says, "the first five post-offices mentioned," says Mr. Biswell, "I hope it will be accepted for New York and Chicago."

Postmaster Dayton and Assistant Postmaster Gayler jointly had this to say yesterday about the matter:

"Postmaster-General Biswell is the first incumbent of that office who appears to have recognized the propriety and sound business policy of making special appropriations for the postal service at the larger post-offices. It does not appear to have occurred to any of his predecessors that the benefits resulting from such an equipment of those offices as will enable them to establish and maintain a service of the highest possible efficiency are not wholly, or even mainly, confined to those points."

"An insufficient corps of carriers and clerks at New York, Chicago or Philadelphia means delay to correspondence between all those cities and every other city, town and village in the country. The retail merchant at a small town in Dakota or Washington is quite as liable to suffer loss and inconvenience by reason of inadequate facilities at the New York or Chicago Post-Office as is the big wholesaler concerned in either of those cities to which his letters are addressed. The effects of good or bad postal service at any large city are felt throughout the length and breadth of the land, and Mr. Biswell's recommendation should be heartily endorsed by every member of Congress in the direct interest of his own constituents, even if the direct profits after deducting all expenditures:

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